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SUBJECT: FUEL PROCUREMENT IN JAPAN FOR US FORCES

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1. ON DECEMBER 24 POL/MIL COUNSELOR INFORMED FONOFF IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTION REFTEL. FONOFF REPS SEEMED GRATEFUL FOR THE NEWS.
  2. NEWS COVERAGE OF GOJ ANNOUNCEMENT OF US UNDERTAKING HAS BEEN MODERATE TO GOOD. SOME NEWS ACCOUNTS INACCURATELY STATE THAT EFFECTIVE DATE OF NEW ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MID-JANUARY, HOWEVER.
  3. ON DECEMBER 26 FONOFFREP TOLD POL/MIL CONSELLOR THAT NEWS HAD ALREADY HAD GOOD IMPACT ON OPPOSITION PARTIES AND IN MEDIA. JCP SEEMED ASTOUNDED AT USG REACTION AND HAD EVEN TELEPHONED FONOFF TO RECEIVED CONFIRMATION.
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